Abstract

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Disclosed is a method for producing iridium oxide coatings, comprising the following steps: a) colloidal ${\rm IrO_x}$, wherein x represents a number from 1 to 2, is applied to a surface; b) the coated surface is dried; and c) the surface is burned at a temperature ranging between 300 and 1000 °C. Steps a) to c) can be repeated until the desired layer thickness has been obtained. Using colloidal ${\rm IrO_x}$ as an initial component for producing ${\rm IrO_x}$ coatings prevents toxic gases from forming during burning process.

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